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The final Office Action was dated February 19, 2003. Applicants filed a response on April 10, 2003 (i.e., less than two months from the date of the final office Action). The Examiner mailed an Advisory Action on June 2, 2003 (i.e., after three months from the date of the final Office Action). As such, Applicant hereby petitions for a one month extension of time to respond to the Office Action dated February 19, 2003, thereby extending

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Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Examiner dated February 19, 2003 in the above-identified patent application.

A check in the amount of \$430 is enclosed to cover the appeal fee of \$320 as applicable under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(b) and the Petition fee of \$110 under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a). Please charge any additional fee or credit any overpayment in connection with this filing to our Deposit Account No. 02-3978. A duplicate of this notice is enclosed for this purpose.

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